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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Per MANSSON et al. Confirmation No: 3651
Appl. No. : 10/517,321
Filed : August 23, 2005
Title : SYSTEM, DEVICE AND METHOD FOR DETECTION
OF SEVERAL INDIVIDUAL ANALYTES IN A SOLUTION,
AND A DISPOSABLE FLOW CELL FOR USE THEREIN

TC/A.U. : 1641
Examiner : U. Jung

Docket No.: : MANS3012/REF
Customer No: : 23364

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants request that the period for response to the outstanding official action in this case be extend pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for ONE (1) month to March 21, 2009.

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17(a) for a one month extension of time is \$65.00 and a check in this amount is submitted herewith. Small entity status has been established. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension to Deposit Account No. 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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